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Crop Progress & Condition

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Maryland, there were 4.0 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, November 29, 2020. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 6 percent short, 40 percent adequate, and 54 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 0 percent short, 46 percent adequate, and 54 percent surplus.

In Delaware, there were 3.0 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 0 percent short, 48 percent adequate, and 52 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 0 percent short, 51 percent adequate, and 49 percent surplus.

MD Soil Moisture for Week Ending November 29, 2020 (in percent)

| Item | Very Short | Short | Adequate | Surplus | |
|---------|---------------|-------|----------|---------|--|
| TOPSOIL | 0 | 6 | 40 | 54 | |
| SUBSOIL | 0 | 0 | 46 | 54 | |

MD Crop Conditions as of November 29, 2020

(in percent)

| Item | Very Poor | Poor | Fair | Good | Excellent |
|-----------------|--------------|------|------|------|-----------|
| PASTURE & RANGE | 0 | 1 | 27 | 70 | 2 |
| WINTER WHEAT | 19 | 19 | 20 | 40 | 2 |

MD Crop Progress as of November 29, 2020

(in percent)

| Item | This Week | Last Week | Last Year | 5 Year Avg. |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| SOYBEANS: HARVESTED | 88 | 85 | 97 | N/A |
| WINTER WHEAT: EMERGED | 94 | 88 | N/A | N/A |

DE Soil Moisture for Week Ending November 29, 2020

(in percent)

| Item | Very Short | Short | Adequate | Surplus | |
|---------|---------------|-------|----------|---------|--|
| TOPSOIL | 0 | 0 | 48 | 52 | |
| SUBSOIL | 0 | 0 | 51 | 49 | |

<u>DE Crop Conditions as of November 29, 2020</u>

(in percent)

| Item | Very Poor | Poor | Fair | Good | Excellent |
|-----------------|--------------|------|------|------|-----------|
| PASTURE & RANGE | 4 | 5 | 67 | 18 | 6 |
| WINTER WHEAT | 2 | 3 | 17 | 63 | 15 |

DE Crop Progress as of November 29, 2020

(in percent)

| Item | This Week | Last Week | Last Year | 5 Year Avg. | |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|--|
| SOYBEANS: HARVESTED | 85 | 77 | 89 | N/A | |
| WINTER WHEAT: PLANTED | 97 | 93 | N/A | N/A | |
| WINTER WHEAT: EMERGED | 90 | 77 | N/A | N/A | |

November 29, 2020 Maryland and Delaware Weekly Weather Summary

| | | Air Temperature Last Week | | | | | Precipitation | | | | |
|----------|---|---------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|---------------|--------------|-------|---------------|----------------------|
| State | Station | Max | Min | Avg | Norm | DFN | One Week | Rain Days | DFN | Four Weeks | Four Weeks DFN |
| Delaware | NORTHERN | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Wilmington New Castle Co Ap | 57.6 | 39.6 | 48.57 | 43.04 | 5.53 | 0.91 | 2.0 | 0.13 | 3.44 | 0.56 |
| | Extreme/Average | 57.6 | 39.6 | 48.57 | 43.04 | 5.53 | 0.91 | 2 | 0.13 | 3.44 | 0.56 |
| | SOUTHERN | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Georgetown-Delaware Coastal Airport | 61.3 | 40.9 | 51.07 | 45.16 | 5.91 | 0.58 | 2.0 | -0.19 | 4.09 | 0.97 |
| | Extreme/Average | 61.3 | 40.9 | 51.07 | 45.16 | 5.91 | 0.58 | 2 | -0.19 | 4.09 | 0.97 |
| | STATE TOTAL | 60.5 | 40.6 | 50.52 | 44.69 | 5.83 | 0.65 | 2 | -0.12 | 3.95 | 0.88 |
| Maryland | SOUTHEASTERN SHORE | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ocean City Municipal Ap | 60.6 | 40.1 | 50.36 | 44.81 | 5.54 | 1.05 | 2.0 | 0.3 | 4.35 | 1.44 |
| | Salisbury-Wicomico Regional Airport | 61.6 | 40.7 | 51.14 | 44.91 | 6.23 | 0.56 | 2.0 | -0.28 | 4.8 | 1.61 |
| | Extreme/Average | 61.1 | 40.4 | 50.75 | 44.86 | 5.88 | 0.81 | 2 | 0.01 | 4.57 | 1.52 |
| | LOWER SOUTHERN | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Mechanicsville 5 Ne | 61.4 | 38.7 | 50.07 | 43.63 | 6.44 | 0.53 | 3.0 | -0.32 | 5.56 | 2.22 |
| | Patuxent River Nas | 69.0 | 51.0 | 60.0 | 46.14 | 14.05 | 0.51 | 2.0 | -0.28 | 4.57 | 1.64 |
| | Extreme/Average | 65.2 | 44.9 | 55.03 | 44.89 | 10.25 | 0.52 | 3 | -0.30 | 5.06 | 1.93 |
| | UPPER SOUTHERN | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Baltimore-Washington International Airport | 59.6 | 40.1 | 49.86 | 42.86 | 7.0 | 0.1 | 3.0 | -0.68 | 3.21 | 0.14 |
| | Oxon Hill | 58.7 | 42.7 | 50.71 | 44.74 | 5.97 | 0.1 | 2.0 | -0.65 | 4.38 | 1.02 |
| | National Arboretum Dc | 59.3 | 42.9 | 51.07 | 45.19 | 5.89 | 0.13 | 2.0 | -0.65 | 4.44 | 1.21 |
| | Extreme/Average | 59.2 | 41.9 | 50.55 | 44.26 | 6.29 | 0.11 | 3 | -0.66 | 4.01 | 0.79 |
| | NORTHEASTERN SHORE | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Stevensville 2Sw | 53.7 | 44.0 | 48.83 | 45.83 | 2.33 | 0.43 | 1.0 | N/A | 4.49 | N/A |
| | Extreme/Average | 53.7 | 44.0 | 48.83 | 45.83 | 2.33 | 0.43 | 1 | N/A | 4.49 | N/A |
| | NORTHERN CENTRAL | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Emmitsburg 2 Se | 55.9 | 37.0 | 46.43 | 40.19 | 6.24 | 0.34 | 2.0 | -0.57 | 2.2 | -1.15 |
| | Millers 4 Ne | 56.0 | 37.9 | 46.93 | 40.6 | 6.33 | 0.13 | 2.0 | -0.77 | 1.62 | -1.71 |
| | Reisterstown 2 Nw | 48.5 | 38.5 | 43.5 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 2.56 | N/A |
| | Extreme/Average | 53.5 | 37.8 | 45.62 | 40.39 | 6.29 | 0.24 | 2 | -0.67 | 2.13 | -1.43 |
| | APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Cumberland 2 | 54.4 | 36.4 | 45.43 | 41.47 | 3.96 | 0.34 | 2.0 | -0.41 | 1.82 | -0.95 |
| | Frostburg 2 | 48.0 | 32.9 | 40.43 | 36.7 | 3.73 | 0.32 | 2.0 | -0.55 | 2.0 | -1.42 |
| | Hagerstown Regional Airport | 55.7 | 39.3 | 47.5 | 40.86 | 6.64 | 0.28 | 3.0 | -0.57 | 0.78 | -2.12 |
| | Extreme/Average | 52.7 | 36.2 | 44.45 | 39.68 | 4.78 | 0.31 | 3 | -0.51 | 1.53 | -1.50 |
| | ALLEGHENY PLATEAU | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Savage River Dam | 49.1 | 33.4 | 41.29 | 37.57 | 3.71 | 0.31 | 2.0 | -0.41 | 1.89 | -0.9 |
| | Sines Deep Creek | 55.0 | 25.0 | 40.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 1.6 | N/A |
| | Extreme/Average | 52.0 | 29.2 | 40.64 | 37.57 | 3.71 | 0.31 | 2 | -0.41 | 1.75 | -0.90 |
| | STATE TOTAL | 56.4 | 39.1 | 47.71 | 42.07 | 6.06 | 0.36 | 2 | -0.44 | 3.10 | -0.25 |

 $DFN = Departure \ from \ normal.$ Weather summary provided by the Southern Regional Climate Center, https://climdata.srcc.lsu.edu.